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Per Applicants' agreement with Examiner Anh Hong Do, this paper is being submitted in response to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due (mailed October 2, 2001) to provide Examiner Do with English language translations of several previously submitted foreign language references. It is respectfully requested that Examiner Do please review the enclosed documents and consider the following remarks.

The Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due (mailed October 2, 2001) as well as the accompanying Form PTO-1449 indicated that Applicants' Sixth Information Disclosure Statement (mailed May 23, 2001) was only partially considered. Specifically, it appears that

references E1, E2, E3, E5 and E6 were not considered because these references are written in the Japanese language and no translation was provide.

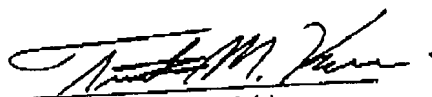
Applicants' undersigned representative conducted a telephone interview with Examiner Do. During that interview, it was agreed that Examiner Do would consider references E1, E2, E3, E5 and E6 if Applicants' provided Examiner Do with translations of these references. Accordingly, Applicants' are submitting English language abstracts of these references herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that Applicants' Sixth Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 be considered by Examiner Do and made of record.

If there are any matters which may be resolved or clarified through a telephone interview, Examiner Do is respectfully requested to contact Applicants' undersigned attorney at the number indicated.

Per Applicants' agreement with Examiner Do, it is believed that not fee is presently due in connection with this resubmission of Applicants' Sixth Information Disclosure Statement. If, however, Applicant's belief is incorrect, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required to JENKENS & GILCHRIST, P.C. Deposit Account No. 10-0447(47171-00139USC1).

Respectfully submitted,



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